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## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND.....\$4,500,000  
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION.....\$3,000,000  
OF DIVIDENDS.....\$1,000,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-FITORS.....\$7,500,000

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HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON Fixed Deposits.—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

6 " 4 per cent. "

12 " 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 28, 1886.

## NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 5; Saturdays, 10 to 1.

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank, if marked on Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 7, 1881.

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will Enter into PARTNERSHIP on the 1st January 1887, as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS, under the Style or Firm of "HUGHES & EZRA".

E. JONES HUGHES,  
N. N. J. EZRA.

Hongkong, December 31, 1886.

## NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. ED. MILLER to Sign Bills of LADING in our Name from this date.

SIEMESSEN & CO.

Hongkong, November 22, 1886.

## NOTICE.

WITH immediate occupation the Com- modious PREMISES known as the P. & O. OFFICES, lately in the occupa- tion of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

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## NOTICES to Consignees.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM SORABAYA, SAMARANG,

BATAVIA, SINGAPORE &amp; SAIGON.

THE Company's S.S. *Bantam* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the HONGKONG, AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPLEX, Kowloon Point Godown, where delivery may be obtained. Cargo may be undelivered after the 23rd instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; CO., Agents.

Hongkong, February 16, 1887. 271

UNION LINE.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Victoria*, Captain GOUNDIN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 23rd instant, or they will not be recognised.

RUSSELL &amp; CO., Agents.

Hongkong, February 16, 1887. 275

## Intimations.

## NOTICE

## TO LEASE.

THE SPACIOUS PREMISES known as The Hongkong Steam Laundry Company (Limited), comprising—

A SIX-ROOMED DWELLING, SPACIOUS DRYING ROOM WHICH CAN BE UTILIZED AS A GODOWN, & YARD,

—AND—

INLAND LOTS, Nos. 742 and 743, upon which it stands, measuring about 24,000 Square Feet.

Also,

FOR SALE

1 HORIZONTAL STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER.

1 MCALPIN'S WASHING MACHINE FOR HEAVY WORK.

1 DO. NEW WASHING MACHINE FOR HEAVY WORK.

2 ROTARY WASHING MACHINES FOR FAMILY WORK.

1 DASH WHEEL RINNING MACHINE.

1 DO. DO. NEW.

CENTRIFUGAL MACHINE FOR Wringing.

1 NEST OF FOUR COPPER BOILERS.

1 STARCHING MACHINE.

1 IRON STOVES FOR HEATING IRONS.

1 COMPLETE DRYING CLOSET, WITH TWENTY HORSES.

1 DECONDON IRONING MACHINE.

1 MANGAL, WITH DRIVING AND REVERSING GEAR.

A. O. D. GOURDIN, Manager.

Hongkong, January 27, 1887. 146

Hongkong, February 17, 1887.

280

UNION LINE.

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UNION LINE.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Glory*, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godown of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hongkong, February 12, 1887. 242

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is really charming. The sweet-scenting magnolias are in prime condition, and well deserved a class to itself. With one or two exceptions, the other flowering plants are scarcely worth attention. Mr. Nowrojee exhibits one of the best specimens of the stately gladiolas ever seen in Hongkong, in his three representative foliage plants, and an epiphyllum exhibited by Mr. Woodin in class 30, flowering plants, attracted a good deal of attention by its peculiarity. (Mr. Wo. din, so far as we observed, exhibited the only orchids on view. One of them was very pretty. The first prize for foliage plants was awarded to a species of asparagus, a plant which certainly looked anything but like the vegetable with which all are so well acquainted. For the best collection of 12 plants, consisting of 2 geraniums, 2 cyclamen, 2 pansies, 2 patens, 2 phloxes and 2 dianthus, there were three exhibitors, viz., Mr. Nowrojee, first; Mrs. Bell Irving, second; and Mr. Holmes, third. The first prize for this collection is a silver medal. Among the cut flowers, the Queen of the Garden again asserted her pre-eminence, the four rose blooms shown by Chee Bee being charming indeed. The hand bouquet, also exhibited by Chee Bee, was a most artistic production and a beautiful harmony of light and shade. In table decorations there were only four exhibitors, one only for wild flowers. Miss Cameron's table of white roses and maiden-hair fern looked very elegant and pretty. Mrs. Davis' table was made brilliant with the gaudy asturium and gomonia leaves. Mrs. Davis' table of wild flowers is a profuse collection of Chinese orchids and wild ferns. The vegetables call for hardly any remark. They are neither prodigies in size nor extraordinarily good in quality. As for the fruits, they are, as usual, very limited in number. Lady Phillipps exhibits a few strawberries, and if they were ripe they might make fair representatives of that most luscious fruit. The arrangement of the exhibits shows a slight improvement on former years. During the afternoon the Show was visited by H. E. the Acting Governor, Mrs. Marb, and Sir George Phillipps. Up till four o'clock, the visitors had not been very numerous, but probably the numbers would increase as the afternoon wore on. The Band of the Regiment was present during the afternoon and played, under Bandmaster Moran, a number of pretty selections from 'Pirates of Penzance,' 'La Maitresse,' 'Les Cloches de Corneville,' &c. Judges for Plants in Pots and Cut Flowers—Messrs. A. B. Westland and W. M. Arthur.

For European Vegetables—Messrs. A. E. Vacher and E. George.

For Chinese Vegetables—Messrs. A. G. Romano and F. Rapp.

The judges of the table decorations were two ladies.

Chee Bee, it may be mentioned, exhibits for the China Sugar Refinery, and the greater part of his collection is the same as that exhibited in former years by Mr. J. G. T. Hassall and Mr. Dickie.

The following is the Prize List:—

PLANTS IN POTS.	
1—2 Annuals—1, D. Nowrojee; 1, E. L. Woodin.	
2—3 Foliage Plants—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.	
3—3 Flowering Plants—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
4—3 Single Geraniums—1, Chee Bee; 2, Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
5—3 Double Geraniums—1, Chee Bee; 2, no award.	
6—3 Roses—1, Chee Bee; 2, C. P. Chater.	
7—3 Chrysanthemums—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
8—2 Camellias—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
9—2 Dahlias—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
10—2 Chrysanthemums—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, Chee Bee.	
11—2 Chinese Aster—1, Mrs. Bell-Irving; 2, no award.	
12—2 English Aster—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, H. N. Mody.	
13—1 Annual—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
14—1 Dahlia—1, Chee Bee; Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
15—1 Geranium—1, Chee Bee; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
16—1 Rose—1, Chee Bee; 2, J. H. Cox.	
17—1 Chrysanthemum—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
18—1 Pink, Carnation or Sweet William—1, Chee Bee; 2, Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
19—1 Gladiolus—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
20—1 Petunia—no award.	
21—1 Hyacinth—no award.	
22—1 Lily—no award.	
23—1 Narcissus—1, H. N. Mody; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
24—1 Pot of Pansies—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
25—1 Pot of Primulas—1, Chee Bee; 2, Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
Best Collection of Twelve Kinds of Plants—1, Mr. D. Nowrojee; 2, Mr. J. H. Holmes; 3, Mrs. Bell-Irving.	
26—1 Aster—1, C. P. Chater; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
27—1 Patens—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, no award.	
28—1 Verbena—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
29—1 Daphne—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.	
30—1 Flowering Plant—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
31—1 Foliage Plant—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
32—1 Camellia—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, C. P. Chater.	
33—1 Orchid—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
34—1 Palm—1, Mrs. Bell-Irving; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
35—1 Tree Fern—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.	
36—1 Azalea—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
37—1 Stump of Rock-work—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
38—6 Ferns, Exotic—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojee.	
39—6 Ferns, Indigenous—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, E. L. Woodin.	
40—3 Ferns—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.	
41—4 Calla Blooms—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, H. N. Mody.	

41—2 FLOWERS.

42—4 Chrysanthemum Blooms—1, D. Nowrojee; 2, H. N. Mody.

43—4 Rose Blooms—1, Chee Bee; 2, D. Nowrojee.

44—6 Bunches of Cut Flowers, dissimilar, (each bunch to consist of one variety only)—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.

45—Hand Bouquet—1, Chee Bee; 2, H. J. Holmes.

46—Table Decorations—1, Miss Cameron; 2, Mrs. Davis.

47—Table Decorations of Wild Flowers—1, Mrs. Davis; 2—No award.

#### VEGETABLES.

48—6 kinds of Vegetables—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, H. N. Mody.

49—2 Heads of Celery, large—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, H. N. Mody.

50—2 Heads of Celery, dwarf—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Col. Hughes.

51—6 Beet Roots (long)—1, H. N. Mody; 2, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.

52—6 Beet Roots (short or round)—1, Col. Hughes; 2, Chee Bee.

53—6 Carrots (long)—1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Chee Bee.

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